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CIRCULATED JULY 29 GUINEA-BISSAU APPLICATION CONTAINED IN
JULY 16 LETTER REFERRED TO IN REFTEL. FULL TEXT FOLLOWS:

QUOTE APPLICATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-BISSAU FOR
ADMISSION TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE UNITED NATIONS

NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 135 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND RULE 59 OF THE PROVISIONAL RULES OF
PROCEDURE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, THE SECRETARY-GENERAL HAS
THE HONOUR TO CIRCULATE HERewith THE APPLICATION OF THE RE-
PUBLIC OF GUINEA-BISSAU FOR ADMISSION TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE
UNITED NATIONS, CONTAINED IN A LETTER DATED 16 JULY 1974
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FROM THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE COUNCIL OF STATE COMMISSIONERS

OF THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-BISSAU ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-
GENERAL.

ANNEX

LETTER DATED 16 JULY 1974 FROM THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF
THE COUNCIL OF STATE COMMISSIONERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-
BISSAU ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 4 OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED
NATIONS AND IN MY CAPACITY AS CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE COUNCIL
OF STATE COMMISSIONERS, I HAVE THE HONOUR TO SUBMIT THE
APPLICATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-BISSAU FOR ADMISSION
TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE UNITED NATIONS, WITH ALL THE RIGHTS,
PRIVILEGES AND DUTIES WHICH THAT ENTAILS.

I DECLARE THAT THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-BISSAU ACCEPTS THE
OBLIGATIONS CONTAINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS
AND THAT IT SOLEMNLY UNDERTAKES TO CARRY OUT THOSE OBLI-
GATIONS.

THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-BISSAU WAS PROCLAIMED ON 24 SEPTEMBER
1973, THUS BECOMING AN INDEPENDENT AND SOVEREIGN STATE.

THE COUNCIL OF STATE COMMISSIONERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA-
BISSAU WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU WOULD TRANSMIT THIS APPLICATION
TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

(SIGNED) FRANCISCO MENDES
CHIEF COMMISSIONER UNQUOTE
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